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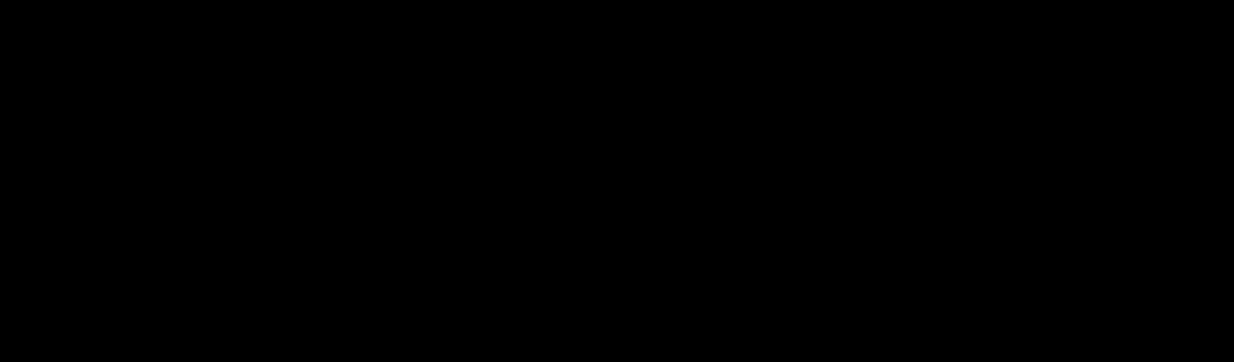
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In August 1950, the Chinese Communist Civil Aeronautics Bureau in Peiping assigned six C-46 and six C-47 aircraft to begin commercial airline service from Canton to Tientsin and from Canton to Chungking. On 16 September, these planes were sent to Manchuria to aid military transport during that critical period of the Korean war.

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